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Government Notifications

FOREST CONSERVATION ORDINANCE

THE Order under Section 4(2) of the Forest Conservation Ordinance (Chapter 451), as amended by Acts, No. 13 of 1966, No. 56 of 1979, No. 13 of 1982, No. 84 of 1988, No. 23 of 1995 and No. 65 of 2009.

Order

By virtue of powers vested in me by Section 4(2) of the Forest Conservation Ordinance (Chapter 451) as amended by Acts, No. 13 of 1966, No. 56 of 1979, No. 13 of 1982, No. 84 of 1988, No. 23 of 1995 and No. 65 of 2009, I, Susil Premajayantha, Minister of Environment and Renewable Energy do by this order release the part of 12900 hectares Padaviya Reserved Forest bounded by limits set forth in the Schedule given below which was declared, as a Reserved Forest by the *Extraordinary Gazette* No. 1793/21 dated 18th January 2013 from its Reserved status from 25th day of May 2013.

SUSIL PREMAJAYANTHA,
Minister of Environment
and Renewable Energy.

Ministry of Environment
and Renewable Energy,
Battaramulla,
26th day of April 2013.

SCHEDULE

The state forest land of 12900 hectares situated in Kebithigollewa and Padaviya Divisional Secretary's Division of the Anuradhapura District, North Central Province, Boundaries of the part of Padaviya Reserved forest of which reserved status is released :

By North : Starting from coordinates 180449E and 406663N where the western boundary of the project area declared under special area II in *Extraordinary Gazette* No. 1487/32 dated 9th March of 2007 the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as a Mahaweli Special Project area under Section 3(1) of the Sri Lanka Mahaweli Authority Act, No. 23 of 1979 meets the Northern boundary of the boundary that separates that Northern Province and North Central Province towards east up to the mid point of the Maoya that is the point which separates boundaries of Northern Province, Eastern Province and North Central Province ;

- By East* : Starting from the last point mentioned in Northern boundary along the mid line of Maoya upwards the river and again towards south up to the point where mid line of the road that runs along the wall of the Padaviya Reservoir meets ;
- By South* : Starting from the last point mentioned in Eastern boundary along the mid line of the road that runs from Padaviya to Hammila Potana tank towards west upto coordinates 195469E and 400120N again upto 193453E and 401229N toward North and from there upto 192605E and 400765N towards West and from there upto 191808E and 400617N towards West and from there upto 190643E and 397259N towards South and again from there upto 186681E and 398597N which is the point that separates Northern Province and North Central Province towards West ;
- By West* : Starting from the last point mentioned in Southern boundary along the boundary that separates Northern Province and North Central Province upto the starting point of the Northern boundary given in this Schedule towards north.
- Extent* : 12900 hectares.